

Associated
Student Body
Government



The Bandit

January 2004

Please listen to your favorite northcoast radio station for announcements pertaining to delayed openings or closures for the College. We try to make delayed opening or closure decisions before 6:00 a.m. and then relay that information to the local radio stations. If you do not hear anything about the College, it means that we are open for business as usual.

Welcome back to another term at Clatsop!
It is time to dive into the textbooks and acquire
knowledge!



ATTENTION ALL STUDENTS!

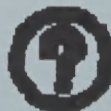
NOW is the time to file for financial aid for the **2004-2005 academic year!**

You can file online at www.fafsa.ed.gov OR pick up a paper Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) in the Financial Aid Office. File as soon as you can to ensure you receive the maximum funding you are eligible for in 2004-2005.



You can file on any computer with internet access. If you are in need of a computer, two computers are available for student use in the Admissions Office.

Please come see us if you have questions.
Terri - Financial Aid Officer



The Department of Education has developed one web-site specifically for students containing details and links on the entire college and financial aid process. This internet resource is in English and Spanish. Check it out - www.studentaid.ed.gov

Terri-
Financial Aid Officer

Editor's Column

Welcome to a new year! Instead of an actual editor's column this month, I decided to turn this space into a sales pitch for The Bandit. I can **count on one hand** how many **submissions** I have received from **students**. I would like to change that.

Three easy ways to make submissions for the Bandit

- 1) Email- bandit_editor@clatsopcc.edu
- 2) Drop your idea in the ASBG suggestion box- located on the wall by the ASBG door
- 3) Hand your submission to an ASBG officer and specify "for The Bandit."

It's a great experience to see your work in print!

What can you submit? Almost anything. Some ideas are:

- 1) Short stories or poems
- 2) Student profile on yourself or a friend
- 3) Information that might benefit other students (items for sale, lost and found, books for sale, etc..)

I love writing the Bandit, but it's the student's newsletter. I would like your input! Was that a good enough sales pitch? Or was I right when I decided salesmanship was not for me? Enjoy the rest of the year and have a wonderful Clatsop experience!

-Kay

PS. Ever wonder why we take a winter break and then start winter term? Or take a spring break before spring term?

Some New Year's Resolutions that could be helpful to students:

- Familiarize yourself with the library. Organize a study group in your classes. Volunteer your time to a local organization. Enjoy your families more. Use SEA services free tutoring. Join a club to get involved in this campus. Get involved with the community.

The college will be closed January 19th in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

All People May Here Be Seen...

Introducing the Penny University.

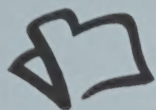
Open Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays 2:30 – 3:30 pm in Towler 106. Monday discussion will be Sociology, Tuesday discussion will be Anthropology, and Wednesday will be Geography.

A penny for your thoughts...

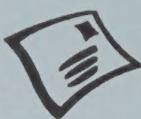
In the early 1700s there were over 2,000 coffee houses in London alone. One would pay a penny on entry and then indulge in a cup of coffee or tea and the talk of the day. The coffee/tea houses were places where ideas were shared and current events discussed. One did not ask where a man lived, but which coffee house he frequented. The conversations that took place in coffee/tea houses had a great influence on the politics and literature and on the social and commercial life of those times. Over the years these coffee/tea houses have been coined Penny Universities.



Information for new and returning students



Student handbooks are available for students in the ASBG Office.



Pick up a scholarship application and apply!

It does not hurt to try. There are many resources at your bidding, use them! Scholarship applications are accepted at the Financial Aid Office beginning January 16th: completed applications are due by 5 PM on Friday, January 30.

Download the application at:
www.clatsopcc.edu/scholarships
or visit the Financial Aid Office



Free Scholarship workshop **Tuesday, January 20, 2003** **Patriot 326**

Covers the topics of:

- How to find scholarships
- How much money is available
- When scholarship applications are due
- Relationship between scholarships and Federal Financial Aid
- Help with filling out scholarship application.

Computer Lab **Towler Hall 100**



Monday 8 AM-10 PM
Tuesday 8 AM-10 PM
Wednesday 8 AM-10 PM
Thursday 8 AM-10 PM
Friday 8 AM-4 PM
Saturday 10 AM-4 PM

Bookstore Hours

Monday-Friday
9 AM – 3 PM

ASBG Office Hours

Check schedule on the ASBG Office window



Writing Lab Hours

Regular appointments can be made for Monday, Wednesday, and Friday within the hours of 10am-12pm or 1pm-4pm
AND

Tuesday and Thursday within the hours 10am-12pm.

To make an appointment go to the writing lab door– F24 and sign up.

SEA Services in Fertig Hall offers free tutoring. Check it out to see what is available.

Math Lab Hours:

Monday 9-5 PM
Tuesday 9-7 PM
Wednesday 9-7 PM
Thursday 9-5 PM
Friday 9-3 PM



South County Computer Lab

Tuesday
1:30pm– 6:30pm
Thursday
11:30– 4:30pm

What's happening on Campus?

Email your submissions to
the Bandit:
bandit_editor@clatsopcc.edu

Blood drive January 22, 2004, 11-4 PM.

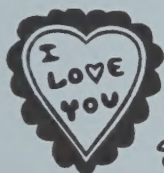
How would you feel if you knew that you could have just saved three lives, and all in only one hour. If you would like to feel that way you can. ASBG and the Red Cross are putting on their annual blood drive at Clatsop on **January 22, 2004**. It is as easy as signing a few papers, taking **an hour** out of your day to do a mini physical, give blood, and eat a few cookies with a glass of juice.

What to do:

- The night before eat a full and healthy dinner, rich in iron
 - Bring 2 picture ID cards
 - Drink plenty of water before hand
 - Come with a full stomach



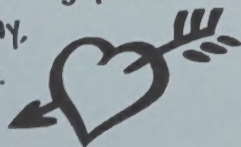
There are many class changes and such during the first few weeks of the term. Please be patient with all the hustle and bustle.
Thank-you!



Show that special person how much you love them.

Send them, or your secret crush, a Valentine balloon bouquet, and a personalized note telling them what they mean to you. Come down to ASBG, pick up a form, fill it out and return it.

We will be taking orders from Monday January 26 through February 12th. We will be delivering from 9-10 AM and 12-5 PM. Valentine's Day falls on a Saturday this year, so we will be delivering your orders on Friday, February 13th.



ASBG has sweatshirts, t-shirts, and mugs for sale. The choices of color and prices are below:

Embroidered Sweat-shirts
Blue or Green
\$28



T-Shirts
Blue, green, ash
\$9.95

Stainless Steel Mugs
CCC logo on both sides
\$6.95



Check the Arts and Ideas Bulletin Board for more information regarding these events.

January 10- 1:00-4:00 PM "The Music Business"

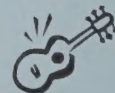
January 17- 1:00-5:00 PM "Guitar Instruction"

January 24- 10:00-11:30 AM "Music for Healing & Well Being"

January 31- 1:00-2:00 PM "Women in the Music Business"

Contact:

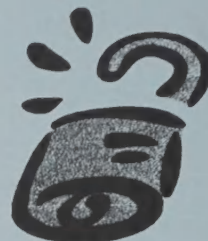
Katherine Mace, Coordinator - Arts & Ideas (503) 338-2473
kmace@clatsopcc.edu or www.clatsopcc.edu/arts&ideas



Dear Students:



As usual, the Associated Student Body Government is offering locker rentals on campus for the Winter Term. The rental fee is \$5, to be paid at the Business Office on the second floor of Patriot Hall. Please know the location and the locker number of the desired locker, bring the receipt to the ASBG office and fill out a simple form. The ASBG officers will be glad to assist you.



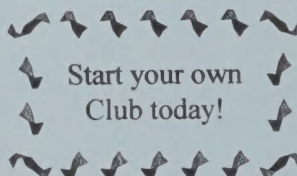
Once again we had some people who decided not to clean out their lockers and return their locks. If you happen to be one of the people who discovered that their locker has been cleaned out and your books are gone, please be aware that the Associated Student Body Government does not dispose of the found items immediately. You have until **January 23, 2004** to come to the ASBG office and pick up your items. However, we will dispose of anything left after this date.

Are you interested in joining a club or an organization??? There are a few options on this campus.

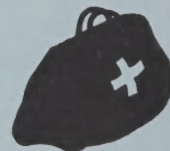
- Art Club
- Nursing Club
- Phi Theta Kappa
- LIT/Rising LITes
- PLUS Program
- All new Amnesty International Club



Art Club



Start your own
Club today!



Nursing Club

You may not find the club of your choice in this list. Do not be disappointed. You can start the club!!! All you need is to find an advisor who is a staff or faculty member, fill out a single-page form at the ASBG Office and find people who share your interests and would like to join your new club. It's that simple!

Do not hesitate to contact Tatjana Taubert, your ASBG Sports & Clubs Senator if you have any questions as to where to find a club, how to join, who to contact or how to start one. You can reach Tatjana at 503-338-2495 or per email at asbg@clatsopcc.edu or ttaubert@clatsopcc.edu. You are welcome to stop by the ASBG Office anytime it is open. We will try to help as much as we can.

The New Year is always a time to reflect on the year behind us, to learn from the mistakes, and to cherish the memories that our lives have given us. This year at Clatsop we have said goodbye to many wonderful teachers and staff who have provided us with wisdom, leadership and knowledge that we could have only experienced at Clatsop Community College.

We have also had many new wonderful instructors and staff who joined the team at Clatsop, from our new President Dr. Greg Hamann, who we look to for guidance in our college's future endeavors. We have been blessed in our library with Randy Culver who shows students not only how to use the library, but reaches out to help guide them through their research. We have the wonderful Rebecca Harris who has brought us the unending energy of youth, teaching us to reach out and touch the world, that each of us can truly make a difference. We need to thank many wonderful staff and instructors that not only provide us with knowledge, but reach out and go the extra mile and offer us friendship, encouragement, and guidance. From the old to the new, only at Clatsop can we experience such dedication.

At PTK, we have watched the leadership strive to accomplish many things this year, from a Halloween event to a stocking auction to help the students of Clatsop. Their auction raised over \$800 for the holiday fund. At the Lives In Transition program we have watched the Rising LITes club make a difference not only for the members of the group, but for the community, new students, and passed students. Through their emergency fund and the hand of friendship, we have seen them make many changes that have influenced their own lives and the lives of those around them.

As we look to the future and see our dreams, let us as students not forget the lessons of our experience here at Clatsop, from all the wonderful people who decided that they too could make a difference.

-Rinda

ASBC Vice President

Now is the prime time to apply for scholarships. Many of the deadlines are in February and March. Some websites that you might want to look into are:

Oregon Student Assistance Commission— over 150 scholarships listed!

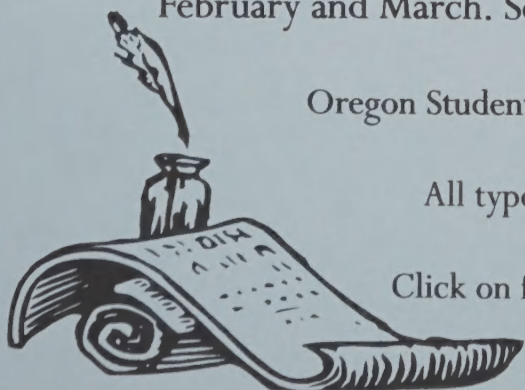
www.osscc.state.or.us

All types of awards and searchable databases available.

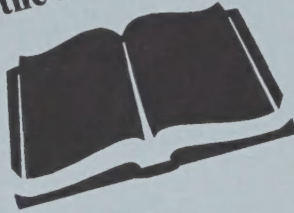
www.fastweb.com

Click on financial aid staff button, then scholarship search.

www.collegeboard.org



To new and returning students:
 Please be aware of policies and procedures on campus. You can look up policies in the student handbooks available at the ASBG Office, across from the Bookstore on the first floor of Patriot, or at the Admissions Office on the second floor Towler.
 Thank-you!



ASBG, in conjunction with the College, will be putting on a smoking forum in the near future. We will keep you posted regarding times and dates.

Don't forget to check in with your advisor at least twice during the term.

Indecision is the key to flexibility

Survey for Students— Due January 30th!

This survey is to provide you, the student, with the opportunity to have input in making decisions about what the students would like to have available on campus. Please take a moment to fill out the form below, and return it to the ASBG Office or suggestions box which is located on the wall by the ASBG Office door.

Thanks!

Name _____

Year at Clatsop _____

Program or degree _____



Please rate each one of the following on a scale of 1 to 5.

You want it either; 1) very strongly, 2) strongly, 3) neutral, 4) do not want it, 5) do not want it strongly.

_____ End table with two or three chairs (possible location between Patriot levels two and three)

_____ Couch for student use (possible location between Patriot levels two and three)

_____ TV in cafeteria area (news channels only)



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The ASBG Office is located across from
the bookstore. Stop by and say Hi!

Email Submissions
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Dates for January

- 19th– College closed
- 20th– Scholarship workshop
- 22nd– Blood drive
- 23rd– Last day to pick up fall term locker stuff
- 26th– Valentines balloon sales start
- 30th– Scholarships Due!
- 30th– turn in page 7 surveys

ASBG MISSION STATEMENT:

The Associated Student Body Government of Clatsop Community College will work to promote an effective academic, social, and cultural environment for all students; encourage opportunities for leadership and character development; and strengthen student representation in all College related activities.

THE BANDIT'S PURPOSE:

The Bandit is published as an independent student newsletter by the Associated Student Body Government. The editorial content and views expressed herein are those of the editor, staff writers, artists, and contributors and do not necessarily represent those of the student body, faculty, staff, or administration.



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